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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Naoki MATSUHIRA

Serial No. 10/642,504

Group Art Unit: 2439

Confirmation No. 1724

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Examiner: HOMAYOUNMEHR, Farid

For: PACKET FILTERING METHOD FOR SECURING SECURITY IN COMMUNICATIONS
AND PACKET COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 19, 2010, and having a period for response set to expire on May 19, 2010. A Petition for a three-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to August 19, 2010. This response is being filed together with a Request for Continued Examination.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.